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THE Court continues at *Comingshor*; but it's ſaid it will now very quickly remove hither. On Sunday laſt dyed here Count *Brahe*, the Rycks Droſt (being the firſt of the five great Officers of the Crown, the other four being the Chancellor, the General, the Admiral, and the Treaſurer) in the 79th year of his Age, having aſſiſted at the Coronation of three Kings and one Queen, *viz.* Queen *Chriſtina*. We are informed that our King is going to ſend an Ambaſſador to the Emperor, and that Count *Oxenſtern* is the perſon deſigned for that Employment.

Lintz, Octob. 1. The 25th paſt parted from hence the Count *de Thun* on his journey for *England*, whither he is ſent by the Emperor as his Envoy Extraordinary. The Duke of *Lorrain* is preparing for his departure for *Inſprucke*. The Judges appointed for the Trial of the Count of *Zinzindorf* have concluded their Sentence, but the ſame is not yet made publick, which they expect the Emperors Orders to do. It is again very warmly diſcourſed at Court, That the Emperor has reſolved to raiſe eight new Regiments of Foot, ſix of Horſe, and ſix of Dragoons, and there will be a Fond eſtabliſhed for the conſtant payment of them. We are told that there is very good news from *Hungary*, *viz.* That the Imperial Troops have defeated ſeveral Parties of the Rebels, and that it was hoped they would be very ſuddenly reduced to ſuch a Condition as would oblidge them to make their Peace, though this does not agree with the account which ſome perſons that came lately hither from *Hungary* gave of the poſture and ſtrength of the Malecontents.

Strasburg, Octob. 4. Several Perſons, in purſuance of the Edict lately publiſhed by the Sovereign Chamber of *Briſac*, are gone thither to do homage to the French King, and to acknowledge him their Sovereign Lord which it's probable they would not do, could they promiſe themſelves any protection to ſupport them in a refuſal, which as things now ſtand, would, they think, expoſe them and their eſtates to greater oppreſſions. At the ſame time the French Provoſt has given orders for the putting up the Arms of *France* in all places, and the taking away thoſe of the Emperor where there are any. From *Ratisbonne* they write, that the Dyet has not hitherto been able to determine any thing in the matter of the Mint, and that the Death of the Elector Palatine and of the Elector of *Saxony* has put a ſtop to all affairs in the Electoral Colledge, which will be removed ſo ſoon as the preſent Electors ſend their Deputies thither.

Cologne, Octob. 8. The Biſhop of *Strasburg* intends to part hence very ſuddenly; ſome ſay he purpoſes to return to *France*, to paſs the Winter there, but others aſſure us that he is going to his Diocеſs to adjuſt his Pretentions with the City of *Strasburg*, who on their ſide will without doubt be very ready to agree to whatever can be thought reaſonable, that ſo all pretence of diſturbing them may be taken away.

Hamburg, Octob. 8. The ſad condition of the City of *Leipzick* does very much affect all people here, as well in compaſſion to thoſe afflicted Inhabitants, as becauſe of the influence it has upon the Trade of theſe parts. Our Magiſtrates omit no care for the preſerving this City in health, cauſing ſtrict enquiry to be made concerning all perſons as well as goods that come hither. From *Copenhagen* they write that one of the *Brandenburg* Frigats was paſſed the *Soundt* with the Spaniſh Man of War taken in the Road of *Oſtend*, which ſhe had orders to carry to the *Pillow*; and that the Spaniſh Miniſter at the Daniſh Court had endeavoured to ſtop the ſaid Ship in the *Soundt*, in order to its being reſtored to the King his Maſter, and that to that purpoſe he had preſented a Memorial to the King of *Denmark*, complaining of the Electors manner of proceeding, and deſiring the ſaid Ship might be ſecured; but that he had been anſwered, That it was a matter the King of *Denmark* could not think fit to meddle in. The Prince of *Orange* continues in *Lunenburg*, having been at ſeveral great Huntings: there was a report that his Highneſs had had a fall from his Horſe, and that he had very much hurt himſelf, but it is falſe.

Amſterdam, Octob. 11. There remaining ſome differences between this State and the Elector of *Cologne*, concerning certain juriſdictions which the latter pretends to in *Maeſtricht*, the States have offered to leave the ſame to the determination of Commiſſioners to be appointed by both Parties. The King of *Denmark* having threatned to grant Letters of Reprizals againſt the Subjects of this State, on account of a Daniſh Ship, taken in the *Indies*, the States have ordered their Miniſter at *Copenhagen* to endeavour to prevent a thing that may have ſo ill conſequences. The Admiralties have been Summoned to ſend their Deputies to the *Hague*, to meet there on the 14th Inſtant, in order to the giving their advice concerning an Equipage of eight or ten Men of War, which it's ſaid is deſigned upon the preſſing Inſtances of the Spaniſh Envoy, for the ſecuring the Coaſt of *Flanders*.

Hague, Octob 11. Upon the Inſtances of the Spaniſh Envoy, concerning the putting ſome Men of War to Sea, the States have directed the reſpective Admiralties to ſend their Deputies hither, to conſult with them in that matter; the States have likewiſe ordered a Placaet to be Publiſhed, forbidding the Subjects of this State to moleſt, by vertue of Commiſſions from any forreign Prince, the Ships or goods of any of their Allies. The differences between this Province and that of *Zealand* ſtill continuing, without any likelihood of a compoſure, the States of *Zealand* are endeavouring to engage ſome of the other Provinces to take part with them, and for that purpoſe